

## City of Austin Engineering Department Field Survey Books

### Box 1, Assorted

1892 05 26

Downtown surveys

1892 06 05 - 1892 Book A [sic. See "A" below.]

"Book A. Also levels by C. H. Schermerhorn, Asst. Engr."

Topographical survey of City of Austin. Includes "West 3<sup>rd</sup> St at RR Bridge" [with digit omitted on elevations]; the elevation on bridge is not obvious, but probably 445.35 ft.

189? Book 3

Streets: levels.

189? Book 4

Levels.

1892 06 – 1892 Water damage

A date found on one page: "6/6/92" Surveys and notes

1893 01 09 - 1893 09 26

Waterlines.

On page near rear: "J. A. Obnion, Austin Tx"

On first sheet inside front and repeated on a page near rear of book: "Compounds for disinfectant tanks.

Dissolve in warm water 5 oz Bichloride of Mercury & pour onto 10 lbs of Sulfate of Copper 100 gal water" ... "Good Drinking water for men working in Hot. weather: Sulphuratic Acid 20 drops to Bkt [bucket] of water".

189?

Surveys

D W Newsing, South Austin Tex."

Waterlines.

1892 (post-1892) Book "A" [sic. See "A" above.]

Surveys. [Schermerhorn?]

189?

Two folios are missing.

"Stations-Surface-Rate-Grade-Cuts" [purple ink].

189?

Contains separate folded receipt "City of Austin Sewerage Company ... 189\_" Levels & grades central Austin, ca. 16th to 21st streets

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1898 02 15 - 1900 08 27

Downtown surveys

1903 04 18 - 1903 08 22 407 "transit book"

Signed: "Fred Sterling, city collector". 1 p (2 leaves) field survey notes, remainder mostly blank pages, except several pages receipts for sales construction materials & related notes

1903 11 09 - 1903 12 15

"If found - please return to C. E. Leonard, #2208 Pearl St, Austin, Tex." Mostly blank pp. 4 pp survey notes, some pp receipts for construction/excavation work, misc. calculations. C. E. Leonard, instructions. and J. R. Paush, rodman.

1906-1908 circa

Levels No. 1 – Levels No. 7

Level notes for downtown Austin streets

1908 01 06 - 1908 04 10

Congress Ave paving, grades and levels

1908 05 06 - 1908 06 06

"Congress Avenue Paving & Retaining Wall work". Field survey notes, calculations, estimates of amounts for concrete pours. Ramsdell, Johnson.

1908 07 03 - 1908 10 26 Book 00 ½

Letter on cheap paper inserted: 10/24/08 G. S. Irdell [city engineer] to Mr. Ramsdell. R. L. Ramsdell - level, Johnson - Rod.

1908 12 15 - 1910 01 25 Book 00

"Curb lines & grades, etc." Dated jobs & completion dates, but no index. Wellborn, Woodburn, Barnett, Muenster, Miller, Simpson, G. S. Irdell, Lynch.

1909 04 22 - 1911 10 27 Book: "Paving 02".

1910 10 06 13 "Curb lines & grades 13".